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Message:

Dear Dick,

This is a follow up to our recent telephone conversation regarding the high concentrations of PCBs found in the demolition debris at the Former Bossert Manufacturing Facility in Utica, New York. I have attached additional information which shows the estimated transportation and disposal costs for the various levels of PCB contaminated debris at the Site. Possibly these PCB concentrations and volumes are at levels which the USEPA can respond to through your clean up program.

As you know, NYSDEC encourages the USEPA to participate in this clean up of the Bossert Site. I will call you in a few days to discuss the attached data.

Dave Smith

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The following Table 1 is based on volumes generated by a field based survey by D. L. Mowers Land surveying and Associates. Estimated costs are from recent transportation/disposal rates for PCB waste to Model City Hazardous Landfill (>50 ppm to 500 ppm), High Acres Non-hazardous Landfill (>10 ppm to 50 ppm) and an incineration facility (>500 ppm). Debris Piles #4 and #5 are considered to contain PCB concentrations below 10 ppm and will remain on-site. An estimated 100 cubic yards of the Hot Spot area will require incineration.

Table 1
Former Bossert Manufacturing Facility
Estimated Transportation and Disposal Costs
PCB Contaminated Demolition Debris

DEMOLITION DEBRIS	VOLUME (CUBIC YARDS)	PCB CONCENTRATIONS (PPM)		ESTIMATED TRANSPORTATION AND DISPOSAL COSTS	
		MAXIMUM CONCENTRATION OF PCBs	AVERAGE CONCENTRATION OF PCBs	>10 PPM TO 50 PPM PCBs	GREATER THAN 50 PPM PCBs
DEBRIS PILE #1	456	180	66	-----	\$100,600
DEBRIS PILE #2	419	46	37	\$32,370	-----
DEBRIS PILE #3	583	17	11	\$45,070	-----
DEBRIS PILE #4	615	8.4	6.9	-----	-----
DEBRIS PILE #5	831	11	4.6	-----	-----
DEBRIS PILE #6AB	995	26	8.7	\$76,860	-----
WOOD BEAMS	50	800	-----	-----	\$11,000
HOT SPOT/SLAB	1400 (ESTIMATED)	500	-----	\$77,250 (EST. 1000 CY)	\$88,200 (EST. 400 CY)
HOT SPOT/SLAB (Incineration)	100 (ESTIMATED)	10,000	-----	-----	\$50,000 (EST. 100 CY)
TOTAL				\$231,550	\$249,800

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